1	2	3
6.	Delhi	18
7.	Haryana	2
8.	Jharkhand	2
9.	Karnataka	1
10.	Maharashtra	2
11.	Manipur	1
12.	Madhya Pradesh	12
13.	Orissa	4
14.	Punjab	2
15.	Rajasthan	2
16.	Tamil Nadu	2
17.	Uttaranchal	2
18.	Uttar Pradesh	49
	TOTAL:	114

Increase in Investment in Uttar Pradesh and NER

5362. PROF. M.M. AGARWAL: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have increased the earmarked Investment in the Industrial sector in Uttar Pradesh and NER during the last three years;

(b) if so, the details thereof, year-wise and sector-wise

(c) whether Government propose to increase the current budget for setting up industries in the above States; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE): (a) No, Sir. No amount has been earmarked in the approved outlay for the industries sector in the Annual Plans 1999-2000, 2000-2001 and 2001-2002 of the North Eastern States and Uttar Pradesh.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) and (d) Development of industries in the States is primarily the responsibility of the State Government concerned. However, Central Government supplements the efforts of the States with special schemes like Capital Investment Subsidy Scheme for North Eastern Region, Interest Subsidy Scheme for North Eastern Region, Transport Subsidy Scheme to promote industrialisation in hilly and remote areas and Growth Central Schemes to promote industrialisation in backward areas.

Poverty alleviation programmes

†5363. PROF. M.M. AGARWAL: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have any proposal to set up a committee to review the Proverty Alleviation Schemes/Programmes being run by the different States;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the steps being taken for effective implementation of Poverty Alleviation Programmes in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE): (a) to (d) No Sir, the Planning Commission does not have any proposal to set up a committee to review the Poverty Alleviation Schemes/Programmes being run by different States. However, the Mid Term Appraisal of the Ninth Five Year Plan had reviewed the major anti poverty programmes in the rural and urban areas of the country. In addition, for formulating the Tenth Five Year Plan various steering committees and working groups were set up to review the poverty alleviation programmes and to suggest ways for improving the efficacy of the programmes.

The implementing Ministries for the anti poverty programmes have developed a comprehensive system of monitoring through various

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.